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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Applicant(s):** Cliff Krawez and Paul B. Ripy  
**Title:** Improved Phone Plug for a Phone Line System Including A Home Data Network  
**Serial No.:** 09/191,883  
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**Examiner:** Unknown  
**Group Art Unit:** 2839  
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December 10, 1998

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Box Missing Parts  
Washington, DC 20231

Re: Response to Notice To Missing parts of Application  
*Filing Date Granted*

Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice To Missing parts of Application – Filing Date Granted" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 4, 1998, the following documents are enclosed to complete the filing of the above-identified patent application:

1. A Declaration signed by the inventors in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63;
2. Copy of Notice To Missing parts of Application – Filing Date Granted;
3. A check of \$485.00 (of which \$40.00 for assignment recordation) payable to US Patent and Trademark Office;
4. A Fee Transmittal; and
5. A Stamped and Self-addressed postcard.

In addition, the verified statement claiming small is enclosed – Small Business Concern is submitted to support the fee reduction as a small entity.

It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed documents complete the filing of the above patent application and justify the US filing date of November 13, 1998. The applicant believes that \$485.00 enclosed herewith is the only fee to be due in responding to this Notice. However, if the PTO believes otherwise please charge our deposit account No. 500516 any charges that may be due. Please telephone the undersigned at (408)777-9887, if there are any questions.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, DC 20231", on December 11, 1998.

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Respectfully submitted;



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